UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA FORT MYERS DIVISION

DARYL TEBLUM, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated

Plaintiff,

v. Case No: 2:19-cv-403-SPC-MRM

PHYSICIAN COMPASSIONATE CARE LLC,

Defendant.

OPINION AND ORDER¹

Before the Court is United States Magistrate Judge Mac R. McCoy's Report and Recommendation. (Doc. 53). Judge McCoy recommends granting in part and denying in part Plaintiff's Unopposed Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement. (Doc. 53).

A district judge "may accept, reject, or modify in whole or in part, the findings or recommendations made by the magistrate judge." 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). The district judge "shall make a de novo determination of those portions of the report or specified proposed findings or recommendations to

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which objection is made." *Id*. And "[t]he judge may also receive further evidence or recommit the matter to the magistrate judge with instructions." *Id*.

After examining the file independently and upon considering Judge McCoy's findings and recommendations, the Court accepts and adopts the Report and Recommendation.

Accordingly, it is now

ORDERED:

- Plaintiff's Unopposed Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class
 Action Settlement (Doc. 49) is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED
 IN PART consistent with Judge McCoy's Report and Recommendation.
- 2. The parties' settlement agreement is preliminarily approved.
- 3. The parties must submit a revised short form notice that cures the deficiency noted in Judge McCoy's Report and Recommendation.
- 4. The deadlines proposed by Plaintiff concerning notice, opt-outs, objections, final approval, and claims (see <u>Doc. 49 at 19-20</u>; <u>Doc. 49-3</u>) are adopted.
- 5. The final approval and fairness hearing will be set approximately 120 days after entry of this order.

DONE and **ORDERED** in Fort Myers, Florida on February 4, 2021.

Copies: All Parties of Record